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Application granted.

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Philip M. Halpern United States District Judge

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VIA ECF

Honorable Judge Philip M. Halpern The Hon. Charles L. Brieant Jr. Federal Building and United States Courthouse 300 Quarropas Street White Plains, New York 10601-4150

Re:

U.S. v. Jamaul Aziz

Case No.: 7:21-cr-00113-PMH

Dear Judge Halpern:

We are the attorneys for Jamaul Aziz. Mr. Aziz is scheduled for trial on September 11th, 2023. We write to seek permission for Calvin Scholar to assist us in the preparation and trial for Mr. Aziz. Please know that I am currently on trial on a homicide matter in Bronx County before Judge Timothy Lewis in the matter of People of the State of New York v. Jermaine Sutherland. Indictment # 00761-2020. We expect the trial to conclude in late April. I am slated to start another homicide matter immediately after the Sutherland matter is concluded. I also have a third homicide schedule for trial during the summer.

Given the above schedule and Mr. Scholar's aid in bridging the communication gap between Mr. Aziz and myself, we urge the Court to grant our petition. Mr. Scholar is an experienced attorney. He has assisted me on several trial matters. He has served in both the Southern and Eastern Districts.

Thank you in advance for your consideration.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Deveraux L. Cannick

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